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It is amusing to note the effect of the *Herald* Map of Our Back Country on the outside world. It sets forth a class of facts which other interested sections would fain keep from the people who are seeking a home in a place with a future. A 500-page book can not convey the information that our map conveys. It brings home to the eye and the mind the geographical and commercial position of Los Angeles, and dissipates into thin air the fables promulgated by silly writers and distorters of facts from other places. Los Angeles, the keystone in the commercial arch of Southern California, has been quietly waiting for the fullness of time to come, conscious that nature stretched out, north and south of her San Geronimo Pass a barrier insurmountable, and from which the tide of commerce would turn to the commercial gate of Southern California, and pass into Los Angeles. Col. Scott sought in vain for a direct pass to San Diego. All of San Diego co-operated with him. They filled the high mountain ranges with prospectors, seeking for some pass through which Scott could come to San Diego without first coming through San Geronimo. They cried, "Lo here!" "Lo there!" and Scott's engineers rushed to the points indicated, applied compass, level and chain, and all San Diego shouted with a great noise. But all in vain. The mountains still reared their impassible barriers. The engineers made their reports, and Scott announced to the world that as a commercial distance it was about 50 miles nearer to San Diego by way of San Geronimo than it was over the mountain range, that he therefore located his road through San Geronimo Pass. So that settled the Thirty-second Parallel, or Texas Pacific. Our map is therefore correct as to the Texas Pacific, and the mountainous back country of San Diego. As to the Atlantic and Pacific or Thirty-fifth Parallel railroad, Scott is now President of it. He proposes to connect the Thirty-second with the Thirty-fifth Parallel road at Albuquerque, as shown on our map, and run one line across the desert, as one is sufficient to do the work. Having made this connection, he will connect with the Southern Pacific Railroad at the Colorado, and thus form one line to Los Angeles by way of San Geronimo. The altitude of this pass is 2,000 feet above tide water. The heaviest grade is 96 feet, and that for only four miles. Over fifty miles of this Southern Pacific railroad is now constructed out from Los Angeles. In less than three years it will connect with San Francisco, Sacramento, and the Central Pacific railway by way of the coast and San Joaquin routes, as per written agreement between Los Angeles county and the S. P. R. Co. These facts, therefore, make the showing of our map correct as to the railroad system of Southern California and our back country.

Santa Barbara has been building railroad castles in the air and trying to persuade the ignorant that she was the final terminus of the Southern railroads. Our map has had the same effect on their theory that the morning sun has on the Santa Barbara fogs. For a railroad to get into Santa Barbara it will have to first go near to Wynema, which has as bad a landing as Santa Barbara. Thence it must run over a heavy range of mountains and a succession of rolling hills some fifty miles, commercial distance, to get to the open roadstead at Santa Barbara. The reader will observe from our map that all the transcontinental freight for this proposed Santa Barbara terminus must pass through or near Los Angeles and travel some 150 miles commercial distance farther to reach the ocean, an absurdity of which no railroad company will be guilty. The great fact is as shown by our map. Los Angeles county is the practical terminus of all Southern transcontinental railroads. The Santa Barbara *Index* realizes that our map shows up the situation, and ends all their hopes of getting settlers by representing their place as a railroad terminus. It becomes furious, and begs us to call it an "April Fool" joke. Never mind, you will see where the joke comes in. In its ignorance it says that the Central Pacific Railroad does not cut right across several mountain ranges in reaching Salt Lake. What a delusion the Sierra Nevada mountains with their snowstorms must be! What a fraud the published railroad survey of elevations and distances is! How incorrect their own map—for ours is made from a copy of the map of the Central Pacific Railroad Company. Look at the facts: Fifty-five miles from San Francisco a mountain of 7,400 feet; 243 miles a mountain of 7,017 feet; 462 miles a mountain of 4,332 feet; 669 miles a mountain of 6,118 feet; 698 miles a mountain of 5,970 feet; 838 miles a mountain of 4,600 feet; 881 miles a mountain of 4,301 feet. All these altitudes are from tide water. The actual height of the ranges above the adjacent valleys is from 300 feet to 1,743. Five are in the State of Nevada. There are several smaller ranges not shown on our map.

Santa Barbara relies on the Soledad Pass. Its altitude is over 3,000 feet, and when the road is through it, it is within forty miles of Los Angeles and over 100 miles from Santa Barbara. The *San Diego World* speaks very

highly of our map and its correctness. It wishes to borrow it—offers to publish it, and "give it a circulation the *HERALD* never can." Go easy, S. D. W. Over 8,000 impressions of that map are out on their mission, 2,000 of which are in pamphlet form for distribution in the East.

The Napa papers say the *HERALD* has published a spirited map, showing very favorably for Los Angeles. The map is not to blame, for it is nature that made the showing very favorable for Los Angeles. Our map in its main features is correct. After we wear it out we will have another made. We rest.

LET US HAVE A PAPER MILL.

Persons familiar with the paper mill business inform us that the cost of machinery for the construction of a mill to manufacture wrapping paper only, does not exceed \$5,000. If this is the case, the establishment of such an industry in this city would be at once the creation of a handsomely remunerative business, and it is a wonder the field has not been occupied before this. The consumption of wrapping paper in this county alone would furnish the mill a large patronage and of the trade of the coast counties and of the upper portion of the San Joaquin valley would also be secured, to say nothing of export. Stockton has a fine large paper mill—the best on the Pacific Coast—capable of turning out any kind or quality of paper, yet its proprietors find their largest profit in the manufacture of wrapping paper. The material used in making brown paper—straw—of good quality and in great abundance, may be found all around the city. The subject is one worthy the consideration of our own capitalists or of those at a distance who desire to invest their money in a safe and certainly remunerative business.

IMMIGRANTS COMING—LAND FOR ALL.

Immigrants at the rate of about 3,000 per month are arriving in this State. If this stream continues we shall soon note a marked increase in our population. The new comers are nearly all from the Eastern States and Europe. They are generally farmers, with a fair representation of mechanics. They come not as tourists in search of amusement and new scenes, but as settlers intending to remain and build homes on the Pacific coast. They are desirable acquisitions, and we hail their coming with pleasure. There is room for all. The San Joaquin valley, now comparatively unsettled, is capable of maintaining a population of three millions. The Sacramento valley will support nearly as many, and Los Angeles valley will furnish homes, employment and support for at least one million people. The many small valleys that dot the country from Siskiyou to San Diego are but sparsely settled, though they have the soil and other requisites for the support of a few millions more. When it is remembered that our population now falls considerably below one million, the inducements our State offers to those who would till their own land and worship God under their own vine and fig tree, present themselves in the strongest possible light. There is no spot of ground over which the banner of freedom floats that offers a better home at a lesser price to the industrious man of small means than the State of California.

The expenses of the last or twenty-first session of the Legislature were nearly fifty thousand dollars less than those of the previous session. Was this considerable saving due to the farmer's element which so strongly pervaded the last session, and which the *Alta* takes every opportunity to ridicule? If so, the "hay seed" gentlemen deserve the thanks of the taxpayers, and we may anticipate an increase of the trade, agricultural and mechanical class of representatives at the next session.

"DEMOCRATS IN COUNCIL" and "Republicans in council," are items to be found in the party papers of the day. But, after all, where is the good of these councilings? The rank and file will no longer obey the commands of the leaders. In this State neither of the old parties can maintain their hold on the voters. A Republican is liable to vote for a Democrat if he thinks him a better man than his opponent, and the peculiarity is likely to be imitated by a Democrat under similar circumstances.

It's an ill wind that blows no one good. Out of the nettle, whiskey crusade, some of California's bachelors may pluck the sweets of matrimony. Some thirty young and handsome ladies have left the Eastern States on a singing and praying tour through the towns of California. The vendors of gin sling and mint juleps await the coming of the angelic band without fear or trembling, while many of our young men are apprehensive lest they will all be captured before they reach their locality.

The *San Francisco Post* charges the *Call* with being subsidized by the gas monopoly, and offers to bet that no charge is made for the gas consumed by the *Call*. The fact that the *Call* office is the worst lighted establishment in the city inclines us to doubt the correctness of the *Post's* charges.

The *Scientific American* predicts that the time will soon come when ice will be manufactured in all our great cities at a dollar a ton. Manufactured ice for three dollars a ton has for some time been in the markets of New Orleans.

The *San Diego World* speaks very

Late Telegrams.

Who Uses the Steamship Subsidy and How.

THE PRESIDENT ON CURRENCY INFLATION.

POSTAL SWINDLES IN CONGRESS.

EASTERN.

Postal Swindles—Luttrell and Page. WASHINGTON, April 14.—Page and Luttrell are at loggerheads about postal matters in California. Luttrell declared there is a postoffice ring which has defrauded the Government to the extent of one hundred thousand dollars, and that he made the charge on the best authority. Page sprang to his feet, and a scene of great confusion ensued for several minutes. A resolution to investigate the charges was referred to the Postal Committee.

Steamship Subsidy—How the Money is Used. WASHINGTON, April 14th.—Tenor W. Park, representing the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, and John Roach, in behalf of the ship building interests of the country, made an argument before the House Postal Committee to-day in advocacy of the continuance of the one million subsidy for semi-monthly China mail service. An interesting statement made by Park was to the effect that it had been discovered that \$300,000 of the famous \$600,000 fund placed at the disposal of an agent of the company, to be used in averting competition and securing increased subsidy was transferred by the agent to his sister and invested in Philadelphia real estate, and that the company expected to recover this amount.

The Pacific Mail Subsidy in Congress. WASHINGTON, April 13th.—John Roach was before the Postal Committee to-day in advocacy of the Pacific Mail subsidy. He said he appeared solely in behalf of the shipbuilding interests of the country and with reference to the iron ships under construction by him for the company. He gave statistics as to large subsidies paid by the English and French Governments to keep up lines of semi-monthly steamers on the Pacific to control the commerce of that ocean for those nations. With reference to the failure of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company to get their new ships ready in the time required by the contracts, he explained that it was found that ships of the size and class contracted for could not compete in speed with those built in England for the same Pacific trade, and the plans were therefore changed, and larger, faster and more expensive vessels, of 5,000 tons, were built, requiring more than the contract time. The company, believing that the Government will not take advantage of the temporary delay, if the service should in the meantime be performed in other vessels, would grant the subsidy whenever the newer and better ships should be ready to compete with foreign lines for the trade of the Pacific and to carry mails at lower prices than any other line will charge for the same service.

With reference to the charge that a large sum was corruptly used by the Pacific Mail Company to procure from Congress an additional subsidy, Roach stated that he knew nothing of such payment. There was no evidence that any of the sum taken out of the Company's funds, nominally to prevent competition in bidding for contracts, was corruptly used in Washington, or that any one of the present managers had anything to do with the money. He will appear before the same Committee again to-day.

President Grant on the Inflation Question. WASHINGTON, April 14th.—President Grant in conversation said he did not favor inflation in the general acceptance of the term. He only believed in increasing the currency to meet the National wants. He did not commit himself on the currency bills now before Congress.

SAN FRANCISCO. Arrival of the Australian Steamer—Greenbacks. SAN FRANCISCO, April 14th.—The steamer *Tartar*, of the Australian line, arrived from Sydney to-day. She made the voyage in thirty days. She took the mails and passengers of the steamer *MacGregor*, ashore at the Fiji Islands, to Sydney all safe. They tried to haul the vessel off, and worked four hours, but could not start her. Greenbacks are quoted at 88¢.

OREGON. Destructive Fire at Jacksonville—Loss \$60,000. JACKSONVILLE, April 14th. A fire broke out this morning about 4 o'clock. It originated near the south-east corner of Oregon and California streets, in a row of old frame buildings, and soon got beyond control; and though no wind was blowing, the lumber blazed so high, and the flames spread so rapidly that nothing could be done to check the conflagration until it had spread across to houses on the north side of the street. Part of two blocks, embracing some brick buildings, were consumed. All were business houses in the heart of the town. Loss, between \$50,000 and \$60,000. Small insurance.

The experiment recently tried in some of the public schools of using a newspaper instead of a reading book is proving a great success.

MARRIED. In this city on the 13th instant, at the residence of F. M. Potts, by the Rev. A. M. Campbell, J. B. Pearce to Sarah Gellies, all of this city.

NEW TO-DAY.

RE-OPENING.

CLARENDON BILLIARD PARLOR, WILLIAM MINER, Proprietor. Pool Every Evening. ap15-tf

WANTED—BY A LADY OF EXPERIENCE in the best schools of the East, a situation to teach in the country, either in a public school or private family. References of highest character. Address, P. O. box 673 Los Angeles; or, Mr. Ralph Wright, San Diego, Cal. ap15-1m

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PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO. SPECIAL NOTICE.

THE STEAMSHIP CALIFORNIA, 874 Tons.

STOTHARD, Commander. —WILL LEAVE— San Pedro for San Francisco, AND WAY PORTS, (Calling at Santa Rosa Island) Saturday, April 18th.

FREIGHT, \$1.50 PER TON. Apply to H. McLELLAN, Agent, Los Angeles. ap15-tf

L. A. & S. P. RAILROAD. ANAHEIM BRANCH LINE.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, APRIL 13, 1874, trains will run every day as follows: FROM LOS ANGELES To Wilmington, 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 P. M. " Niles, " 8:30 A. M. " 4:20 P. M.

TOWARD LOS ANGELES. From Wilmington, 7:45 A. M. and 1:00 P. M. " Niles, " 5:30 A. M. " 4:20 P. M. " "ON STEAMER DAYS," Time of trains between Los Angeles and Wilmington will be varied so as to connect with steamer.

Train between Los Angeles and Niles will stop at the following points on Alameda street for passengers only, to wit: KOHLERST, WASHINGTON, and RUBIO'S. E. E. HEWITT, Superintendent. Los Angeles Star, Cronica and Mirror; also, Anaheim Californian, Wilmington Enterprise and San Bernardino papers, copy.

J. L. Ward & Co., COMMISSION MERCHANTS, Fire & Marine Insurance Agents. 43 MAIN STREET, LOS ANGELES, CAL. ap15-tf

Wm. H. J. Brooks, RECORDER'S OFFICE, OR NO. 8, DOWNEY BLOCK. ap15-tf

Goodall, Nelson & Perkins, STEAMSHIP LINE For San Francisco & Way Ports.

STEAMSHIP KALORAMA, ELLIOTT, Master. Will sail as above on Tuesday, April 14, 1874.

Passengers leave depot of L. A. & S. P. R. R. at 4 o'clock P. M. J. L. WARD & CO., Agents, 43 Main street. ap15-tf

FURNISHED HOUSE TO RENT. A beautifully furnished house with all arrangements for house-keeping, cooking, butchery, etc., will be leased. The house is on Main street, near Fourth. A kitchen, store-room and servant's room. A barn with accommodations for three horses and a cow. Rent reasonable. Apply to S. H. SLAUGHTER. ap15-tf

WANTED, MACHINE SEWING. Gentlemen's shirts made in the latest style and warranted to fit perfectly, by a lady who has five years' experience as cutter in a gentleman's furnishing goods store in San Francisco. Also, ladies' and children's underclothing neatly made, at No. 6, Beaudry Terrace. ap15-2w

Seven Acres for Sale. ON CHARITY STREET, ADJOINING the residence of A. Brunson, two miles from the Court-house. There is no finer land for semi-tropical fruit in this section. Lying immediately below the ditch, it is easily irrigated. Fifty one or two trees and one hundred English walnut, apple and peach trees of choice varieties in orchard, with seven years old grape vines now growing on this land. Inquire on the premises. J. M. STEWART. ap15-tf

THE BANK. WM. WORKMAN. F. F. F. TEMPLE.

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Receive Deposits, Issue their Certificates and transact a GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

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The magnificent Beaudry Tract, overlooking the city, and superior in every respect, has been laid out in Elegant Residence Lots, and placed in the market at prices and on terms that will place splendid homes within the reach of all.

These lots will be sold on the popular

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for a nominal sum per month.

Also, a large number of

BUILDING AND BUSINESS LOTS

in all parts of the city.

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OFFICE—OPPOSITE THE PICO HOUSE, LOS ANGELES, CAL.

FIVE building lots near the bridge crossing the Los Angeles river.

ONE lot 50 feet front by 100 feet deep on the West side of New High street, directly in rear of Lazard & Co's store.

ONE lot fronting on Buena Vista street in rear of the above.

TWO lots, Nos. 1 and 2, fronting on Eternity street, adjoining Bellevue Terrace on the north.

SEVEN lots, Nos. 8, 9, 10, 22, 19, 20 and 21, B'k 101, Bellevue Terrace tract, near the Woolen Mill.

SEVEN lots, Nos. 12, 13, 15, 16, 17, 19 and 20, fronting on Hope street and Bunker Hill avenue, between 3d and 4th streets.

FIVE lots, Nos. 13, 14, 15, 17 and 18, do. do. between 2d and 3d streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 12, 13, 15 and 16, do. do. between Court and 1st streets.

SIX lots, Nos. 11, 12, 13, 15, 16 and 17, do. do. between Temple and Court streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6, fronting on Charity street and Bunker Hill avenue between 2d and 3d streets.

FIVE lots, Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5 and 6, do. do. between 1st and 2d streets.

SIX lots, Nos. 1, 2, 5, 6 and 7, do. do. do.

FOUR lots, Nos. 3, 5, 7 and 9, do. do. do.

TWO lots, Nos. 12 and 13, fronting on east side of Charity street, between Court and First streets.

FOUR lots, Nos. 4, 5, 7 and 8, fronting on west side of Olive street between Court and 1st streets.

TWO lots, Nos. 7 and 8, fronting on west side of Olive street, corner of Olive and Temple streets.

THREE lots, Nos. 10, 14 and 15, fronting on east side of Olive street, between Court and 1st streets.

ONE lot on the corner of First and 11th streets.

THREE lots, Nos. 16, 17 and 18, Beaudry tract, fronting on Olive street, between 1st and 2d streets.

NINE lots, Nos. 10 to 18 inclusive, do. do. between 2d and 3d streets.

BLOCK 1, do. d. containing 19 lots bounded by 2d, 3d, Olive and Charity streets.

BLOCK 4, do. do. 20 lots, bounded by 3d, 4th, Olive and Charity streets, all 40 x 160 feet.

Water-Pipes have been laid on Third, Olive, Charity, Bunker Hill Avenue and Hope streets.

In the Louisiana Homestead tract, bounded by 7th, 9th, Griffin and Bellevue streets, the following lots will be sold for \$100, except the corners which are \$125. These lie just above Judge King's homestead, receiving the ocean breeze:

Lots 1 to 10 inclusive, Block B.

Lots 1 to 10 do do do G.

Lots 1 to 10 do do do D.

Lots 1 to 10 do do do A.

Each lot having a frontage of 100 feet by a depth of 165 feet. Upwards of 5000 of 4 and 5 inch pipes have been laid for the purpose of supplying these lots with water.

Also, several tracts containing from five to ten acres, within the city limits.

1047 acres of land in lots to suit purchasers, in the San Pedro Ranch, one mile west of the Railroad, with several artesian wells, flowing since the year 1868.

1802 acres of land in the Verdugo Ranch, 4 1/2 miles from the city, with several springs of water, and a considerable quantity of lumber.

The Verdugo and San Pedro Ranches will be sold in quantities to suit purchasers.

These liberal terms left open until April 12th, 1874.

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THE CASH STORE!

HARRIS & JACOBY,

63 MAIN STREET.

IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN

Gent's Furnishing Goods,

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Musical Instruments, Baby wagons,

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Importing our goods direct, we are prepared to sell cheaper than any other

house south of San Francisco. TRY US.

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THE DOLLAR STORE, Main St., opposite Court-house,

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On and after February 10th the following goods will be sold at the following prices:

CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE: 12 Tumblers for..... \$1.00 8 Goblets for..... 1.00 2 Teacups and Saucers for..... 1.00 8 Teacups and Saucers (heavy) for..... 1.00 1 Large Lamp, complete..... 1.00 12 Large Tea Plates for..... 1.00 1 Washboard and Pitcher for..... 1.00

Also, a complete assortment of

FURNISHING GOODS

which we are now selling off at prices in proportion to the following:

1 Fine Gent's White Shirt for..... \$1.00 1 All Wool Overshirt..... 1.00 1 Pair Heavy Cotton Knit Pants..... 1.00 10 Large Towels..... 1.00 6 Pairs Patent Iron Frame Hose..... 1.00 4 Pairs Gent's British Socks..... 1.00 1 Good Hat, for Lady or Gent..... 1.00

Our store is stocked with Goods of Every Description, and we are now selling off cheaper than ever.

No Charge for Examining Goods.

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THE DOLLAR STORE, MAIN STREET, Opposite Court-house. mar15-tf

Dissolution of Partnership. THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the name of J. B. SAUNDERS & CO. has been dissolved owing to the death of Dr. J. B. Saunders. All debts due to and owing by J. B. Saunders & Co. will be collected and paid by the remaining partners, who will continue the DRUG BUSINESS under the name of C. F. HEINZEMAN & CO., and trust by close attention to the business to receive in the future, as in the past, the liberal patronage for which they now return thanks to the public.

Los Angeles, April 1, 1874. ap15-tf

C. F. HEINZEMAN & CO., Successors to J. B. SAUNDERS & CO., DRUGGISTS AND CHEMISTS, 72 Main Street, LOS ANGELES.

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Trees for Sale.

ORANGE, LEMON, LIME and English Walnut trees, four and five years old. The five-year old trees are the largest ever offered for sale in this country. The above trees will be cheap, and in quantities at reduced prices. For particulars, inquire of the undersigned, on Main street, two miles from the Court House.

Also, 80 acres of land, with house and 19 acres of alfalfa, for rent on corner of Main and Jefferson streets. Los Angeles, Feb. 9th, 1874. 10-tf

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For Sale. TWO OPEN BUGGIES, ONE TOP BUGGY, ONE PHAETON BUGGY,

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1874.

POST-OFFICE DIRECTORY.

Eastern, San Francisco and Northern—Telegraph Stage Line—Arrive at 10:30 P. M.; close at 11:15 P. M. Letters intended for registry must be presented before 11 A. M. San Francisco and Los Angeles, via Santa Barbara—Arrive at 10:30 P. M.; close at 11:15 P. M. San Diego Line—San Diego, Anaheim, Gallatin, Capistrano, etc.—Arrives at 12 M.; close at 1:15 P. M. Southern Arizona—Tucson, Yuma, Arizona City, and Way Stations—Tri-Weekly—Arrive—Arrives Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 12 M.; leaves Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10:30 P. M. Northern Arizona—Tucson, Yuma, Arizona City, and Way Stations—Tri-Weekly—Arrive—Arrives Sunday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:30 P. M.; leaves Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 10:30 P. M. San Bernardino and Way Stations—Arrive at 10:30 P. M.; close at 11:15 P. M. Domestic and Foreign Money Order Office—Open from 8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M., except on Saturday, when office closes at 3:30 P. M. Office Hours—8:30 A. M. to 4:30 P. M. H. K. W. BENT, P. M.

CITY AND SUBURBS.

Yesterday was unusually breezy. No business in the courts yesterday. The Alaroma sailed for San Francisco yesterday. Prof. Fowler leaves to-day for San Bernardino. Somebody has lost a trunk-key, and can recover it by calling at this office. Passengers for San Francisco per steamer Orizaba will take the train at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Mr. Kramer has the city license bills all made out, and the Marshall will shortly commence collecting them. The Clarendon has changed proprietors. John A. Brown is now playing the part of "mine host." The Mohongo will sail for New York via Panama on Monday, April 20th—Cabin passage, \$50. A construction party went to the Ten-mile House yesterday for the purpose of building a side track at that place. A lecturer makes the wonderful announcement, "Hell upset! Satan banished!" Good for the lecturer. When did he do it? A coal yard is about to be started in this city. Coal ought to be sold at a small advance on San Francisco prices. A match game of billiards for \$100 a side is arranged to come off at the Clarendon Billiard Hall next Saturday. Samuel W. Piercy is at San Bernardino. He will doubtless entertain the good people of that place with a dramatic performance. The Hebrew B'nai B'rith Society held a meeting last Sunday. We hear that the Society is in a flourishing condition. A barber is erecting a pole in front of Noyes' former auction store. We conclude that a different kind of shaving will be done there now. The Aliso mills are turning out twenty tons of cracked corn per day, besides ten tons of corn meal. The mills are running day and night. For the last month the Lafayette Hotel has not had a spare bed left in the house after 9 o'clock P. M. Hotel business ought to pay well here. Sam Berge, the city bill poster, is putting up fifteen bulletin boards in addition to the number he now has in different parts of the city. This is a good sign of increasing business. SANTA CLARA VALLEY.—A gentleman who passed through Santa Clara Valley, Ventura county, reports the entire valley covered with grain fields. Some of the farmers of that section estimate that they will grow a million bushels of barley this season. CLARENDON BILLIARD PARLOR RE-OPENED.—It will be seen by reference to another column that Wm. Miner, formerly connected with the mechanical department of this paper, has opened the billiard parlor under the Clarendon Hotel. Miner is "a good boy too," and we wish him the best of success in his new enterprise. M. E. SOCIAL.—Another one of those delightful social gatherings of the M. E. Church will be held at Mrs. C. E. White's, on Hill street, this evening; and, as all are invited to attend, let no one be the "Unhappy he! who, from the first of joys, Society cut off, is left alone Amid this world of death." POTATO ROT.—We reprint the following extract from the Chemical News at the suggestion of a farmer who yesterday paid us a visit. Some valuable hints may be drawn from it regarding the want of lime and magnesia in our soil, and the utility of using them as fertilizers: A WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN IN SAN DIEGO.—The San Diego papers announce the arrival of Dr. Griffin in that place from Los Angeles. The Doctor made the trip overland in his own conveyance, for the benefit of his health. He started on his return yesterday, and was accompanied on his journey by Dr. Winder as far as Guajeme. Different observers state the percentage of magnesia in the ash of sound tubers from 5 to 10 percent; in the diseased tubers an analysis shows only 3.94 percent. An analysis of sound tubers shows over 5 percent of lime, but in the ash of diseased tubers only 1.77 percent was found. A similar observation was made some years ago by Prof. Thorne, with regard to diseased and healthy orange trees. In the former there was a deficiency of lime and magnesia. SAN JOSE VALLEY.—From Mr. Joseph Wright, who lives at Spadra, we obtain some items of interest relative to the crop prospects in San Jose valley. The grain is nearly all barley, though some wheat was sown this year. Both the barley and wheat look well and promise an abundant harvest. About double the acreage of last season was seeded this year and the product will be considerably more than double that of last. But a few small lots of last year's crop remain in the valley, the greater bulk having been hauled to the railroad and shipped away. Most of the wheat was sown early and no fear of rust is apprehended. We trust our farmer friends residing in different parts of the county will, when in town, imitate Mr. Wright—call and give us such crop information as they deem of interest.

LETTER FROM GALLATIN.

EDITOR HERALD: Cloudy this morning; but the recent winds have ceased their boisterous exercises and Spring appears to-day in all its loveliness. The birdschant and the farmers' whistle in the green-clad valley, reminding one of an earth's Eden. Mrs. H. Hoffman Larkin, a medical lady, from New York, opened a course of lectures last night, and judging from her discourse on the subject of "Death," she will always have a good audience. Her way of entertainment is entirely pleasing to all. Everyone is jubilant over future prospects, and all are peace; and Judge Thomas has a great grandson. Yours, N. W. Gallatin, April 13th.

TRANSPLANTING TREES AT NIGHT.

EDITOR HERALD: In a number of the Herald Herald I find an extract from the Boston Journal of Chemistry, which may be beneficial to the citizens of this county, if placed before them in your valuable paper: "A gentleman anxious to ascertain the effect of planting trees at night instead of in day-time, made an experiment with the following result. He transplanted ten cherry trees while in bloom, commencing at four o'clock in the afternoon and transplanting one each hour until one in the morning. Those transplanted during the daylight shed their blossoms, producing little or no fruit, while those transplanted during the night maintained their condition fully. He did the same with ten dwarf-pine trees after the fruit was one-third grown. Those transplanted during the day shed their fruit; those transplanted during the night perfected their crop and showed no injury from being removed. With each of these trees he moved some earth with the roots. The incidents are fully vouched for, and if a few more experiments produce the same result, it will be a strong argument for horticulturalists, gardeners and fruit-growers, to do such work entirely at night." Would it not be a good plan for some of our Los Angeles fruit-growers to try the experiment? J. G. Powell, Dentist. Los Angeles, April 14th.

TEN THOUSAND QUESTIONS ANSWERED.—The pamphlet just published at the Herald office is the very thing to send to your friends East, North and South. It contains full and interesting articles descriptive of Los Angeles city and county, our agricultural, manufacturing and mineral resources, harbors, railroads, and one thousand and one things besides. The pamphlet is neatly printed and bound, and is sold at the nominal price of five cents. Mail a dozen copies or two, and do your share towards advertising the city; at the same time furnishing valuable information to those who are anxious to know more about our country.

A distinguished member of the Legislature is reported in the Louisville Commercial as having candidly acknowledged the corn. Re-appearing after an absence from his seat of three days, he said he had been sick. "What was the matter with you?" he was asked. "Well, some folks call it nervy chills; others pronounce it an affection of the heart; but to be candid about it, I call it a plain case of old-fashioned drunk."

In the town of Waterloo, Seneca county, New York, lives a Mr. G., who is noted for his fondness of good books. He liked good liquor better. An agent called one day and asked if the house was supplied with a Bible. "Ah, yes," he said, "they always had it." Whereupon Mr. G. searched the house and found a few stray leaves, saying he had no idea they were so near out of the Bible.

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The tide of immigration is steadily setting in, and the first thing eastern people do is to throw away the New York Hats and buy a new one of DESSMONT. They say there is no comparison between the two.

Eastern Dress-maker removed.—Miss Logan, late from the East, has removed from Mrs. Park's millinery store to No. 39 Spring street, opposite the Court-house. Ladies may come to the latest styles supplied directly from the East. Fitted garments and fitted patterns a specialty. ap12-1m

School and Miscellaneous Books.—Blank Books and Blank Forms—Stationery, Law Books, Albums, and Ladies' Writing Cases. Pianos, Organs, Violins and Accordions, and other Musical Instruments for sale at lowest prices, by BRODRICK & CO., Booksellers and Stationers.

There is no doubt that the public are by this time convinced that the only place to buy goods at reasonable rates is the new store important under the Lafayette Hotel, they have again received a very nice and new line of Dress Goods, Clothing, Shoes, etc. We quote a few low prices to give those who have had no chance yet to visit the Important idea how low they sell goods: Beautiful plain cashmeres 25 cents per yard; beautiful silk sash ribbons 50 cents and \$1 per yard; balbriggan ladies' hose, best quality, 75 cts. per dozen; fine double face alpaca, 37 1/2 and 40 cents a yard; ladies' linen collars and cuffs, 25 cents a set; beautiful granadines 20 and 25 cents per yard; Clark & Co's spool cotton, 4 spools 25 cts.; embroidered handkerchiefs, 10 cts. a set; black lace veils, 25 cents; also a full line of clothing, boots, shoes, etc., lower than can be bought elsewhere.

To the Afflicted. Grateful not only for entire relief from terrible suffering of seven years standing but for a perfect cure of internal piles by an operation scarcely more painful than my daily sufferings before the operation, I feel it a duty low to those similarly afflicted to give this testimonial of the skillful and efficient treatment of Dr. J. H. Lord of Los Angeles. Dr. Lord's success is more highly appreciated from the fact that several of the prominent physicians of Los Angeles had treated me with out understanding my disease and of course without success. RABBITT MARTIN. San Gabriel, March 14, 1874. mh15-2m

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

GOLD REPORT. SAN FRANCISCO, April 14th. Gold, 114. Greenbacks—Buying, 88; selling, 88 1/4.

San Francisco Markets—By Telegraph.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 14th. FLOUR—Extra, jobbing at \$5 75 per 12 1/2 bushels. BARKLEY—Market firm at \$1 65 per 100 lbs. POTATOES—Market irregular, choice Humboldt, \$1 90; Potomac and Tomatoes, \$1 70 per 100 lbs. The New Mission, 35¢ per 100 lbs.

EXPORTS.

April 14th—45 bxs oranges, 15 bxs lemons, 18 bxs cornmeal, 32 bxs bullion, 3 kgs peas, 1 cse red peppers, 18 bxs oranges, 25 bales wool, 48 bxs cornmeal, 18 bxs corn, 10 tons asphaltum, 25 bxs bullion, 25 bxs oranges, 1 cse mace, 40 bxs borax, 4 bxs dried peaches, 15 bxs castor beans, 2 bxs limes, 1 pipe wine, 47 bales wool, 18 bxs oranges, 60 bales wool, 53 dry hides, 18 bxs oranges, 20 pipes wine, 3 bunches wine, 4 pipes brandy, 1 1/2 bbl brandy, 1 bbl liquor, 1 tool chest, 2 bxs seed, 40 bxs bullion, 25 bxs lemons, 2 bxs cornmeal, 12 bales wool, 1 lot mace for Spadra.

Real Estate Transactions.

Deeds filed for record for the 24 hours ending at 4 o'clock, April 14, 1874, as reported for the Herald by Judson & Gillette, Searchers of Records for Los Angeles county: Otto Evers to Heinrich Evers—All interest of grant in estate of Gottfried and Gertrude Evers of Holstein-Trussia; \$300. A W Tomms to Judith Hixby—1,500 acres of average land undivided in Rancho Pulos Verdes; \$3,000. John A Brown to Isais W Hellman—West one-half of lot 1 in block 17, Hancock's survey, city; 1,000.

Thermometrical Record.

According to the plan of the Smithsonian Institute. Kept especially for the Herald by Brodrick & Co. April 14, 1874. 9 A. M.—69. 12 P. M.—71. 1 P. M.—71. 4 P. M.—71. Average, 69.

Stage Arrivals and Departures.

TELEGRAPH LINE.

DEPARTURES. Mr. Nay, Mr. Raine, Mr. Landry, A. McGee.

COAST LINE.

ARRIVALS. Fred Kimball, W B Reynolds, J Joiner, G Dunn, John Taylor, C E Owen, S Piercy, Mr Brown, Mr Eastman, Mrs Swift, Miss Betts, Mr Jenks, M Watts, Mrs Mott.

DEPARTURES.

CLARENDON. Gen Stoneman, S Gabriel A W Timms, S Pedro Miss Stoneman, do Mrs J P Bygones, S F Miss Edwards, do Mrs Stratton, Wm F P Foster, Sir Margia, J D Turner, S F Wm Shickland, Anaheim. PICO. J R Hall, S F C Egan, Spadra J Peirson, Spadra Frank Jones, S F H J Abbott, S F A Horn, S Barbara G H Howard, S F B K Kellogg, Ana'm W Wadsworth, S F J J Mills, Spadra. LAFAYETTE. H Charles San Juan Mrs Lucas, S Rosa T Tibbet, El Monte B B Moore, Sacra'to. UNITED STATES. G Wahfield, Anaheim C Happenden, Ana's G Kneller, do Van Kenburg, S M A Gilmer, Spadra C Clusholm, S Ber M Schulze, Anaheim J J McMurray, City.

Hotel Arrivals.

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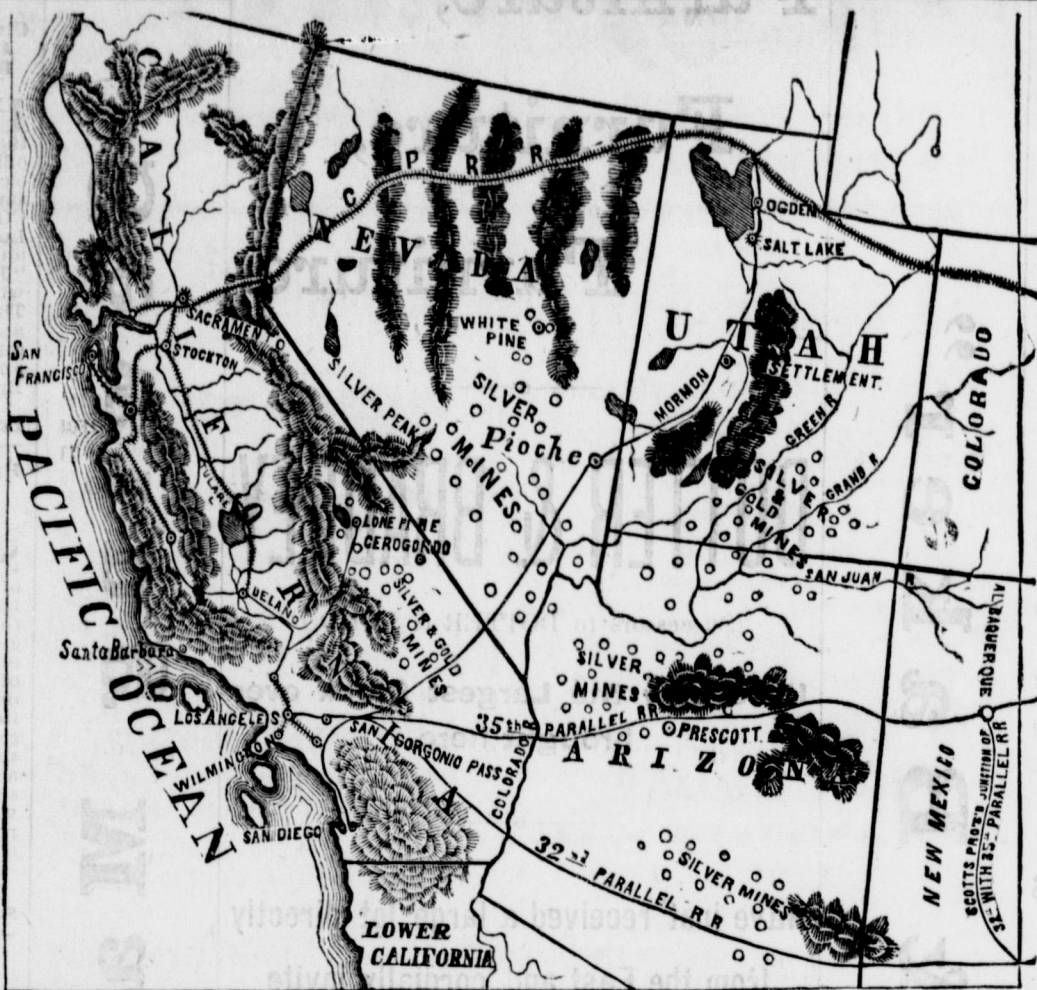
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MAP OF OUR BACK COUNTRY.

Map showing the geographical and commercial position of Los Angeles; the system of Trans-Pacific Railroads on the Pacific Coast; the impassable ranges of mountains parallel to the coast north and south of San Geronimo Pass—the only natural pass in the mountains from Lower California to Oregon; showing also the largest and richest mining region in the world tributary to Los Angeles; showing the proposed railroads to the rich mines of Cerro Gordo to Salt Lake; also the thirty-fifth and thirty-second parallel routes and their junction at Albuquerque, as proposed by Col. Scott. The names of the following important places in the country are omitted from the map for want of space: Anaheim, population, 1,500; San Gabriel, 200; El Monte, 100; Spadra, 50; Galatin, 100; Santa Ana, 50; Westminster, 50; Compton, 50; San Fernando, 50; Florence, 50; Tus-tin City, 50. These are each the nucleus of a rich farming section.



Los Angeles Herald.

COUNTY OFFICIAL PAPER.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 1874.

He Found His Match.

A Practical Joke that was very Poorly Appreciated.

From the San Francisco Chronicle.

Some men will never cease to play practical jokes; but there is one practical joker in this city who will probably "let up" on his favorite amusement for a time. He rooms in a lodging house on Bush street with another gentleman, with whom he has been intimately acquainted for years. One day in last evening he found his friend asleep on a sofa, and concluded to play a practical joke on him. Tying a lot of matches together in such a shape that they could be conveniently placed on the bridge of the sleeper's nose, he ignited the same, and, putting them in position, sat down to watch the result. He had not long to wait. In a few seconds there was a miniature conflagration; the heat occasioned by the same was in all probability what woke him up. Anyhow he awoke, and springing from his bed, was confronted by a blaze which led him to suppose the room was in flames and at once began prancing about, yelling "fire" at the top of his voice, while his roommate was making the place ring with laughter. As soon as the bewildered individual came to his senses, he turned upon the practical joker and began beating him in good style about the head and face. In a moment more the two were rolling over the floor, and the noise occasioned by the rolling brought the landlady to the spot, and immediately sent her away shouting "murder!" with the idea that another "double tragedy" was about to take place. The joker, who was badly beaten about the head and face, started off to swear out a warrant against the other on the charge of assault, but by the time he reached the police office reflection had somewhat cooled him, and he squared accounts by returning to his room and removing his trunk to another lodging-house, and paying \$4 50 for the damage done to the furniture and crockery.

The Granges and the Pope.

The New York World contains the following from a correspondent at St. Paul, Minn.:

The question whether or not a Catholic could become a Patron of Husbandry with the approval of the church which forbids membership of secret societies has caused considerable discussion in Grange and religious circles. Archbishop Alemany, of San Francisco, made the most decided ruling yet published, referring the subject to the Pope, but meanwhile advising members of his flock to be on the safe side, and not join the Grange until an answer had been received from his Holiness. Prompter action has been taken in Minnesota. A leading member of the Legislature, and a Catholic, was desirous of joining the Grange, and consulted Father Ireland, of this city. The clergyman told him he knew of nothing objectionable in the Grange, its practices or objects, but he had no power to suspend the general rule of the Roman Catholic Church concerning secret societies, and so referred him to his ecclesiastical superior, Bishop Grace. The Bishop's reply was of similar tenor, and he advised the applicant to write to the Pope. This was done, and a reply was received allowing the petitioner to join the Grange, "if he find nothing therein conflicting with his conscience or the creed of his church." He has since joined the Order as have many other Catholics, and at least one Grange has been organized which is composed most exclusively of his co-religionists.

At a recent landslide on the line of the North Bloomfield ditch of Nevada county, the whole hillside, for the length of several hundred feet, went into the cañon below, carrying everything before it. The debris filled the ravine up to a height of sixty feet. Sugar pine trees, eight feet in diameter, were forced along with the soil.

The Tulare County Court has sentenced Albert Downen to the Penitentiary for a period of twenty-two years. He was indicted twice for stage robbery and once for house-breaking. He was accordingly sentenced to twenty years for the first offense and two years for the latter.

Uncle Freddy Coombs, who was a San Francisco celebrity some years ago, died a few days since in New York city. Emperor Norton is now alone in his glory. Bummer, Lazarus, the gutter snipe and Uncle Freddy have passed away.

"How much better it would have been to have shaken hands and allowed it was all a mistake," said a Detroit Judge. Then the lion and lamb would have lain down together and white-robed peace would have fanned you with her wings and elevated you with her smiles of approbation. But no, you went to clawing and biting and rolling in the mud, and here you are. It's \$5 apiece.

One person killed and four injured every day in the year is a pretty good record for American railways.

ARIZONA NEWS.

From the Arizona Miner of April 7.

The Apaches have been raiding on farmers in the vicinity of Maryville. The thieves took every animal owned by one poor farmer. Wonder if the Government, whose duty it is to protect the lives and property of all citizens, will ever do so? It ought to be made to pay for all such losses as the one above alluded to.

A letter from a San Juan miner to a friend in Picoche, dated Del Norte, February 23, gives a doleful account of that place. He says it is no good place for a poor miner; that he has never seen a country where there are so many broken men; that he intends to get out of it as soon as he can. The snow was eleven feet deep at the mines and the cattle were dying of starvation.

A correspondent writing from Picoche, says: "There was a fellow here who thought he would go into cotton-raising, and sent to California for seed. The seed was forwarded by express 75 cents and arrived safely as far as Haystack's Ferry, where the stage upset and the seed went down Salt river. That fellow was me! I have sent for more seed, however, and intend to try it on if possible."

Scientific.

In London the milk bought by the officials for analysis nearly always contains an excess of cream.

A correspondent of the Scientific Republic recommends common glue as an effective remedy for cuts and bruises.

It is said that if one part of sugar is dissolved in three parts of water, and digested with one-fourth part of calcium hydrate, the resulting liquid will readily dissolve glue warm, and the solution will remain fluid on cooling without having lost any of its adhesive qualities.

M. Patera proposes to render woven fabrics non-inflammable by using, instead of sodic tungstate, a mixture of four parts of borax with three parts magnesia sulphate. One hundred grammes of the mixture are to be dissolved in three hundred to four hundred cubic centimetres of water, and in this solution the fabrics are soaked, then wrung out, dried and ironed. Another mixture proposed for the purpose is that of ammoniac sulphate and gypsum.

Hot alum water is said to be valuable as an insecticide. Two pounds of alum dissolved in three or four quarts of boiling water and applied to all cracks and crevices, will keep out and destroy all red and black ants, cockroaches, spiders, chinchbugs, fleas, etc. Travelers in strange countries should always carry a small quantity of powdered alum or borax with them to scatter round their pillows where they suspect strange bedfellows.

The following mixture is said to make a very good barometer, it being very sensitive to weather changes: Mix 25 drachms of camphor, dissolved in 10 drachms of alcohol, with 40 grains of sulphur and 40 grains of sal ammoniac in 9 drachms of water. This mixture should be placed in a four-ounce vial, with a piece of cloth tied over its mouth, and placed in a good light out of the sun's rays, where it can be observed without handling. When the weather is fine the fluid is clear, but on the least change the chemicals rise from the bottom in beautiful friend-like crystals.

A correspondent of Nature says that during the hurricane of October 6th, 1873, he was residing on the coast shore of Biscayne Bay, South Florida. In the early part of the gale, and while it was approaching its height, he noticed overhead innumerable "man-of-war hawks." They seemed to be "laying" (to use a nautical phrase), but with little motion of their wings, their heads were towards the wind, but instead of moving backwards, they seemed to drift off in a line calculated to take them directly away from the storm centre. This action he considers to have been developed from experience by the ancestors of the "man-of-war hawk," and to have become so organized in the race as to cause them to leave the track of the approaching cyclone instinctively.

The success of Professor G. W. Hough, of the Dudley Observatory, in constructing self-recording barometers and thermometers, lends additional interest to his announcement of the successful construction of an automatic evaporimeter and rain-gauge. The apparatus consists of a vessel two feet square and one foot deep, suspended on levers, and held in equilibrium by a small spring, the amount of change in the weight of the mass, either from rainfall or evaporation, being indicated on the scales of a delicate balance. In order to secure the mechanical record of the hourly variations in the weight of the vessel and of its contents, the professor causes the lever to vibrate between two platinum points so placed that whenever a change in the weight of the vessel by a given amount (say ten grains) takes place, a magnetic circuit will be established passing through an electro-magnet. A micrometer screw will then be operated by means of a clock-work, thereby tracing a curve on a revolving drum, precisely as in the case of the self-recording barometer and thermometer.

"That beats aw!" cried a cobbler, as he looked at a shoemaking machine.

The Hill Improvements.

Water is the all important question in Southern California. Let there be water and everything in the vegetable line springs up and grows with a growth unparalleled in other localities. Orange trees spring up with marvelous rapidity, and the spot becomes a little paradise under the manipulation of industry, wherever water can be had.

The hill lands have been delayed in their sale simply because the arrangements for water were insufficient. The time given for their sale has consequently been extended for two months. A large reservoir capable of containing untold hundreds of thousands of gallons of water is now being constructed. An engine and pump is now on its way hither, which will raise 30,000 gallons of water per hour into the reservoir, more than is now consumed by the entire city of Los Angeles.

All lots must be sold previous to April 12th, for upon that date those that are left will be disposed of at public auction, by the popular auctioneer, Noyes. They will be sold on the installment plan, at his rooms in the Temple block on Spring street; the first installment payable on the day of sale.

Fifteen thousand feet of pipe are now being laid in the streets, 8,000 feet of which are already in the ground, and a million-gallon reservoir is now being made to supply the lots with water.

The City Surveyor has been ordered to define the grades and lines of Olive, Charity and Banker Hill avenues, from Hill to Hope; Second street and Temple street from Hill to Hope. This will bring these lands within easy reach of the business part of the city. The distance to the Court-house is less than it is to the Turners' Hall.

Mr. Beaudry being the owner's perfect and indisputable title, offers the following scheme believing that it supplies a felt want. His various tracts have been surveyed, and plotted in lots of convenient size for residences, upwards of two hundred in number, and the maps, together with abstracts of title, are kept for public inspection at his office, opposite the Pico House.

Any person desiring to purchase can inspect the land, select his lot or lots, and acquire the same, if not previously taken up by another, upon the following terms, purchasers not being restricted to a single lot.

The purchaser or his successor to pay the fixed price of the land selected by him in equal monthly installments, as follows: On lots valued at \$400 and upwards, but not to exceed \$500, \$50 per month; on those valued at \$300 and less than \$400, \$30 per month. Payments in gold or currency and no interest demanded. For cash in hand, a reduction of fifteen per cent will be made.

The purchaser to have immediate possession upon payment of the first installment and on execution and delivery of contract.

The right of the purchaser may be assignable to him, and his assigns to succeed to all his privileges and liabilities; standing in all respects towards the vendor as an original obligor.

Purchasers shall not be restricted to the payment of the installments as above shown, but may make payments in advance, and on such payments he will allow one per cent per month, from the date of payment until said payment would become due.

Upon selection of a lot or lots by a purchaser and payment of the first installment with \$5 in U. S. gold coin, as expenses on the documents, Mr. Beaudry, with the purchaser, will execute and acknowledge a sealed agreement embodying the above conditions; and, upon full payment, according thereto, the undersigned will execute and deliver to the purchaser, or his lawful representatives, on demand, a good and sufficient absolute deed of conveyance of the abstracted lands, in form of warranty against grantor, the grantee paying the cost of such deed.

The location is very desirable. All that has heretofore been lacking is water, and that is now supplied. Anywhere else, in a desirable location, lots readily command from \$500 to \$1,000, and even higher rates. This property is put at the astonishing low price of from \$300 to \$400. But this is not all. This may be paid in currency and a reduction of fifteen per cent will be made for cash in hand.

Masonic Notice.

Los Angeles Lodge No. 42, F. & A. M.—The stated meetings of this Lodge are held on the first Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Members of Pentalpha, No. 202, and all Masons in good standing are cordially invited. S. C. FOY, W. M. CHAS. SMITH, Secretary.

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